**Juan Garcia**

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**Education**

**Emory University**  May 2021

Bachelor of Science in Biology Atlanta, GA

Cumulative GPA: 3.43/4.00

**Healthcare & Research Experience**

**Whitehead Biomedical Research Building** August 2019-present

*Lab Technician* Atlanta, GA

* Perform experiments utilizing skills in PCR, gel electrophoresis, western blot, dissection, and autoclaving
* Prepare up to 15 buffers bacterial cultures and other solutions daily
* Gained an understanding of preparing samples, protein assays and inventory tracking in a lab setting
* Received training in OSHA and proper sterilization techniques

**Johnson Orthodontics**  May 2019-August 2019

*Health Assistant* Savannah, GA

* Oversaw equipment sterilization, assisted taking x-rays and filing patient information accurately
* Welcomed 50+ patients daily in a fast-paced environment while maintaining a high-level of professionalism
* Ensured work was in compliance with OSHA guidelines and HIPAA standards

**Emory University**  January 2017-December 2017

*Scholarly Inquiry and Research at Emory (SIRE) Researcher* Atlanta, GA

* Recruited 30 participants and conducted data collection for synesthesia and cross-modal correspondences study
* Presented research at the Emory SIRE Symposium 2017 and at the 2017 Society for Neuroscience Conference

**Additional Experience**

**Target** Summers 2016-2018

*Sales Associate* Atlanta, GA

* Acted as leader on duty by performing opening and closing routines of the store as needed
* Received a raise in two months based on customer service skills and performance
* Trained over 10 new hires on inventory management, maintaining the cash register and customer service

**Leadership & Community Engagement**

**Pre-Health Mentoring Office**, Peer Health Mentor January 2019-present

* Teach first-year health course to educate students on how to become more competitive for medical school
* Promoted to lead Peer Health Partner Mentor to teach other Peer Mentors how to lead their classes

**Alpha Epsilon Delta Pre-Health Honor Society**, Member August 2018-present

**Centro Latino**, Advisory Board (2018-2019), Member September 2018-present

**Emory Residence Life**, Sophomore Advisor August 2018-May 2019

**Alternative Spring Break**, Participant Spring 2018

**Honors & Awards**

PwC/Fran Weiss Scholarship – awarded due to community service and academic excellence

National Merit Scholar

Eagle Scout (May 2017)